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WEALTH AT DEATH. DIED: by late March 1725/26. PERSONAL PROPERTY: TEV, £1,957.8.0 (including 40 slaves and 4 servants); FB, £250.4.6. LAND: ca. 14,070 acres, of which 4,500 acres were jointly owned with *Daniel Dulany* (1685–1753).

BRADLEY (BRADLY), ISAAC (?-ca. 1795), RE-SIDED: in Caroline County, 1774: Sussex County, Delaware, by 1775. FAMILY BACKGROUND. FA-THER: William Bradley (?-ca. 1784), of Dorchester County, who died in Delaware. BROTHERS: William (?-ca. 1814); Joseph (?-by 1814); and Jacob (?-ca. 1775), of Caroline County. SISTERS: Nancy (?-by 1784), who married Charles Brown: Mary, who married (first name unknown) Bannister: and Betty, who married (first name unknown) Freeny. MARRIED in March 1781 Elizabeth Casson (?-by 1798). CHILDREN, SONS: probably Henry: probably Joshua. DAUGHTER: Polly, who married (first name unknown) Wilson, PRIVATE CAREER, EDU-CATION: literate. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: Esq., by 1775. PUBLIC CAREER, LEGISLATIVE SER-VICE: Convention, Caroline County, 1st, 1774. OUT OF STATE SERVICE: Council of Safety, Sussex County, Delaware, appointed 1775: Convention. Sussex County, Delaware, elected on August 19, 1776 (this convention met on September 11, 1776, for the purpose of "ordaining and declaring the future form of Government of that State."); justice, Sussex County, Delaware, appointed 1784. WEALTH AT DEATH, DIED: ca. 1795 in Sussex County, Delaware. LAND: 100 acres in Caroline County; probably had land in Delaware as well.

BRADLEY, ROBERT (?-1724). BORN: probably in Engiand. IMMIGRATED: by 1693 as a free adult. RESIDED: in Prince George's County, FAMILY BACKGROUND. BROTHER: Benjamin Bradley, a merchant of London, England, MARRIED Sarah, (1677-?), daughter of Richard Hall (?-1688). Her brothers were Elisha Hall (1663-ca. 1716/17); Joseph (1665-1705); Benjamin Hall (1667-1721); and Aaron (1669-1704). Her sisters were Rachel (1671-1730), who married Walter Smith (?-1711); Elizabeth (1673-1743); and Lucia (1675-?), who married John Smith (?-1738). CHILDREN, SON: Robert, a justice of Prince George's County from 1729 to 1731/32, who married (first name unknown), daughter of Clement Hill, nephew and heir of Clement Hill (?-1708). PRIVATE CAREER. EDUCATION: literate. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION: Presbyterian. SOCIAL STATUS AND ACTIVITIES: he had important mercantile connections; he was prosecuted in 1694 for violating the Navigation Acts, but was acquitted. OCCUPATIONAL PROFILE: factor for Edward and Dudley Carleton, merchants in England; merchant; shipowner. PUBLIC CAREER. LEGISLATIVE SERVICE: Lower House, Prince George's County, 1701-1704 (Accounts 1-3, 5), 1706-1707 (elected to the 4th session), 1708A, 1708B-1711 (speaker, 1-4). OTHER PRO-VINCIAL OFFICE: justice, Provincial Court, 1709-1714. LOCAL OFFICES: justice, Prince George's County, 1695/96-1709 (quorum, 1697-1709; chief justice, 1705-1709); coroner, Prince George's County, 1696-1707; St. Paul's Parish Vestry, Prince George's County, 1704, WEALTH DURING LIFETIME, LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: at least 100 acres. WEALTH AT DEATH, DIED: in 1724. PER-SONAL PROPERTY: gave all of his personal property to his son before his death. LAND: gave 870 acres to his son before his death.

BRADNOX (BRADNOCKS. BRODNOX). THOMAS (ca. 1599-1661), BORN: ca. 1599, probably in England. IMMIGRATED: on Kent Island, by 1637/38. RESIDED: in Kent County. MARRIED Mary (?-1674), who subsequently married ca. 1664 John Vicaris (?-ca. 1669), and finally, Francis Pine (?-by 1674). CHILDREN. Died without progeny. PRIVATE CAREER, EDUCATION: illiterate. RELIGIOUS AFFILIATION: Protestant, SOCIAL STA-TUS AND ACTIVITIES: in 1642 he had the third highest assessment of seventy-one men on Kent Island; Mr., by 1647/48; Gent., by 1652/53; usually owned at least two or three servants, whom he notoriously mistreated; he was one of the most disreputable men in the colony; raised Francis Mauldin (?-1710/11) for six years before Mauldin's mother reclaimed him in 1659/60. OCCUPA-TIONAL PROFILE: planter. PUBLIC CAREER. LEGIS-SERVICE: Assembly, Kent County, 1637/38, present 1647/48. LOCAL OFFICES: justice, Kent County, 1647-1653, 1658-1661; sheriff, Kent County, 1653. MILITARY SERVICE: commander's mate, Kent County, 1641; captain and commander of all the forces on Kent Island, 1658. WEALTH DURING LIFETIME, LAND AT FIRST ELECTION: acquired with William Brantwell legal control over 2,000 acres in 1640; sold 200 acres in 1661. WEALTH AT DEATH, DIED: between October 20 and December 25, 1661, PERSONAL PROPERTY: no value given in his inventory; 4 servants; 3 horses, 64 hogs, 34 cattle. LAND: 1,900 acres.

BRAINTHWAITE, WILLIAM (?-ca. 1649/50). BORN: probably in England. IMMIGRATED: by 1637/38 as a free adult. RESIDED: in Kent County; St. Mary's County, by 1643. FAMILY BACK-GROUND. FATHER: probably Robert Brainthwaite, secretary to Sir Richard Weston, who was proba-